7 Payment will be made once in a month as follows on presentation of bills through the Range Forest Officer, Agumbe.

(1) On passed sleepers in the jungle for sleepers prepared and carted to Lorry site.

(2) On sleepers carted from lorry site and delivered at Government Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravathi, as per Plant receipts.

8 (1) The Contractor will not be paid for rejections exceeding 5 per cent at the Plant.

(2) Unfit and useless materials should not be transported to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravathi.

Any other details and conditions can be had from the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, during working days.

3473

Notification dated 20th August 1953.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, up to 4 P.M. on 21st September 1953, for collecting, rough dressing and preparing dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots in all the Ranges of the Division and carting the same to the Koti during the year 1953-54, as detailed below :—

Sl. No.	Name of Range	Approximate quantity.	Where to be carted	Remarks
1	Ayanur Range ...	100 Tons	Shimoga Koti	...
2	Ripponpet ...	80 ,,	,,	...
3	Thirthahalli ...	80 ,,	,,	...
4	Shankar ...	100 ,,	,,	...
5	Hanagere ...	80 ,,	,,	...
6	Sacrebaylu ...	80 ,,	,,	...
7	Municipal Limit ...	5 ,,	,,	...
	Total	... 525 Tons		

1. The contract will be up to 31st March 1954, from the date of execution of the bond.

2. Tenders may be submitted either separately for each Range or for any number of Ranges together and should specify the rate per ton offered separately for each unit.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 (One hundred) for each Range in currency notes as earnest money, in default of which, the tender will be rejected. Covers containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga duly sealed, registered, insured and superscribed as "Tender for the collection and carting of sandalwood and ground-hidden roots."

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejecting the same.

5. The acceptance of any tender will be duly communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of other tenderers will be returned to them.

6. The successful tenderer shall execute a bond on a proper stamped paper embodying the terms enumerated herein below within fifteen days of the receipt of the orders and shall deposit in Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money for the due fulfilment of the terms of the contract. The deposit referred to here shall also include the earnest money referred to in para 4 *supra*.

CONDITIONS.

(*a*) The collection of dead sandalwood and ground-hidden root shall be extended to all State Forests, District Forests, Amrit Mahal Kavals assessed and unassessed Government waste lands land to such of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta and Sarvamanya villages, the holders of which are not entitled to the sandalwood either by sannads or judicial decrees.

(*b*) With regard to the removal of sandalwood from private holdings, only such of the trees as have been marked by the departmental subordinates shall be removed with the previous written permission of the Range Officer.

(*c*) The collection shall be confined to dead, fallen, and decaying sandal trees and to ground-hidden roots. On no account shall green and mature trees be uprooted. Axes should not as far as possible be used in the uprootal and rough preparation of sandalwood.

(*d*) The sandalwood uprooted shall be roughly dressed in the jungle leaving a thin layer of less than half an inch of whitewood and shall be carted to the Koti. Each consignment to the Koti shall be covered by a passport issued by the departmental subordinates.

(*e*) The contractor shall further bind himself to collect and cart two-thirds of the contracted quantity before the end of December 1953 and the balance by 31st March 1954.

(*f*) The successful tenderer shall see that no injury is caused to the State Forest or property situated therein in the course of his operations and in the event of any such occurrence through his negligence or of his men, he shall be made liable as per departmental rules.

(*g*) Should the collection and carting of sandalwood to the Koti be found unsatisfactory, the District Forest Officer will immediately cancel the contract and shall make other arrangements for working out the contracted quantity at the risk of the contractor.

(*h*) For the breach of any or all of the above conditions, the contractor shall forfeit the earnest money referred to in para 6 *supra* and portion of moneys due to him for collection and carting of sandalwood made and not disbursed.

(*i*) Payment of charges shall be made as per procedure now in practice upon the sandalwood and ground-hidden roots received in the Koti and duly weighed out there and for which Koti receipt is produced on bills supported by the Koti receipts and certified by the Koti Officer.

S. KRISHNA SWAMY,
D.F.O.

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SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Brief Notification dated 14th August 1953.

Tender for clear felling the area and burning the same for raising plantation.

1. Sealed tenders are invited for the following work in connection with formation of plantation in the several ranges of the Division, during 1953-54.—

1. Clear felling the area of the Forest growth.
2. First burning of the area.
3. Second burning of the area.

2. Tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Sagar, and sent so as to reach him on or before 3 P.M. on 10th September 1953. Any tender received after the above mentioned date will be rejected.

3. Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money deposit in currency notes for each Range as noted below and should be registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for clear felling and burning plantation area".

SCHEDULE,

1.	Anandapuram Range.	Karadibetta St. Forest	50 acres	200.
2.	Sorab Range ...	Bettadakurly Do	40 acres	200.
3.	Sagar Range ...	Kalkoppa Do	10 acres	100.

4. The right of accepting or rejecting any tender is vested in the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Circle who is not bound to assign any reason for accepting or rejecting the highest or lowest tender.

5. The successful tenderer should enter into an agreement with the District Forest Officer within a fortnight of the intimation given to him binding to observe the following conditions, in default of which the contract is liable to be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

6. In fulfilment of the terms of the contract, the successful tenderer should deposit in the Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 200 in the case of Sorab and Anandapuram Ranges, Rs. 100 in the case of Sagar Range and pledge the same in favour of the District Forest Officer. The amount is liable to forfeiture to Government for the breach of any condition of the Agreement.

7. The earnest money of the unsuccessful tenderer will be returned.

8. The schedule noted above shows the areas to be clear felled and burnt in each Range. If more particulars are required regarding the areas selected the concerned Range Offices may be approached.

9. (*a*) Separate rates for each area should be quoted for clear felling 1st burning and 2nd burning on acreage basis.

10. The detailed particulars and terms of conditions can be had either from the concerned Range Office or from this office of the undersigned on any working days.

D. MAHESWARAPPA,
District Forest Officer.

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ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

WATER SUPPLY DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Abstract Notification.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Division, Bangalore, from contractors for the work of construction of additional quarter at C. J. F., Bangalore, up to 3 P.M. on 21st September 1953.

Detailed estimates, plans, and specifications of work may be seen in this office between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on all working days.

The earnest money of Rs. 800 has to accompany the tenders separately with the treasury challan or bonds authorised by Government.

H. S. NARASIMHA IYENGAR,
Ex. Engr.

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BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 17th June 1953.

Tenders will be received in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore, up to 3 P.M. on 24th September 1953, for the following work ;—

Name of work	Amount of estimate	Earnest money
	Rs.	Rs.
Construction of Additional accommodation to the Maternity Hospital Malleswaram, Bangalore.	22,574	1,130

1. Each tender must be accompanied by a duplicate challan for having deposited the earnest money noted against the work into the Treasury to the credit of "P. Deposits—2 Advances, Revenue Deposits" in default of which the tender will be rejected.

2. Only on acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money of the rejected tenders will be returned.

3. Copies of the contract documents, schedule and drawings may be seen at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore, on all working days between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

4. The tenderer need only mention the rates for each item of work of the abstract estimate both in words and in figures, at which he is willing to undertake the work without which the tender will be rejected. The total cost of each item of work together with the grand total of each work should also be noted in the tender.

5. Tenders submitted in other than the prescribed form will be rejected, the prescribed form being available at the Division Office on payment of Re. 0-4-0 per copy.

6. The detailed clauses defining the conditions of the tender can be seen at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore.

7. Items not provided for in the estimate will be paid for as per schedule of rates or as per data worked out, if not provided for in the schedule of rates during the time of execution.

8. The sealed tenders received for the above work will be opened in the presence of such of those tenderers who will be present at that time.

9. If the work is not completed and handed over within the specified period, a fine of Rs. 50 will be levied for every fortnight's delay.

10. The final acceptance or recommendation for acceptance will rest with the Chief Engineer, Bangalore. The successful contractor should bind himself to abide by the departmental rules in force and execute the necessary *mutchalika* on receipt of intimation of acceptance of his tender, failing which, his earnest money will be forfeited.

11. Under no circumstances will a father and his son or other close relations be allowed to tender for the same contract as separate competitors. A breach of this condition will render the tenders of both the parties liable for rejection.

12. The submission of a tender by a contractor implies that he has read this notice and the conditions of the contract and has made himself aware of the scope and specifications of the work to be done and of the schedule of rates, etc.

13. In all matters of disputes about rates, measurements, quantity and quality of work, etc., and in all other disputes of any kind, the decision of the Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings in Mysore, Bangalore, will be final and legally binding.

14. The rates quoted shall hold good if the tender is accepted within six months from the date of tender and shall thereafter be binding for the execution of the entire work.

15. The contractors will please note that the conditions will in no case be relaxed.

16. Those who cannot abide by the conditions need not tender.

17. The work should be completed within *six months* from the date of issue of work order.

18. Tendered contractor has to pay compensation to the disabled workmen working under him for any injury caused during the execution of this work, failing which, the amount will be deducted from the bills and paid to the injured.

19. Sales-tax will be recovered at the prescribed rate on all works bills.

20. The Income-tax Clearance Certificate from the Income-tax Commissioner is to be enclosed along with the tender, without which the tender is liable to be rejected.

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Brief Notification dated 28th August 1953.

The attention of the public is drawn to the Notification calling for tenders for 'Repairs of the Building in Central Jail, Bangalore" published in page 1103, Part VI of *Mysore Gazette*. dated 27th August 1953, the last date being 16th September 1953.

G. KRISHNASWAMY,
Ex. Engr.

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BANGALORE DIVISION.

Brief Notification dated 21st August 1953.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification No. 3313, dated 13th August 1953, published on page 1037 of the *Mysore Gazette*, calling for tenders for '*Restorating Gattipura Hosakere*. Sl. No. 641 *Madaval Hobli, Magadi Taluk*'. The last date for the receipt of the tenders is extended to 4th September 1953 at 4 P.M.

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Notification dated 14th August 1953.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification inviting sealed tenders for the work of restoration of Muthyalammakere, Reg. No. 129 of Nandagudi Hobli, Hosakote Taluk, published on page 1104 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 27th August 1953.

The last date of the receipt of tenders is before 4 P.M. on 9th September 1953. A duplicate challan for having credited into the Treasury the deposit amount of Rs. 387 under "40(*i*) Remittances—Payment into the Reserve Bank of India, Bangalore by P.W.D. Offices" should accompany each tender.

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Notification dated 14th August 1953.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification inviting sealed tenders for the work of construction of a Municipal High School at Thvamagondlu, Nelamangala Taluk, published on pages 1103-1104 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 27th August 1953.

The last date of the receipt of tenders is before 4 P.M. on 9th September 1953. A duplicate challan for having credited into the Treasury the deposit amount of Rs. 3,835 under "40(*i*) Remittances—Payment into the Reserve Bank of India, Bangalore by P.W.D. Offices" should accompany each tender.

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